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Patty,

Good morning. Thank you for sharing the State's Request for Appeal. The State presents numerous arguments that are similar to those contained in the August mitigation reconsideration memo prepared by PLP that you previously called our attention to (attached). The State's RFA cites to some of the same references as PLP.

Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)

The mitigation reconsideration memo was shared with State agency staff during meetings between PLP and the State to discuss compensation options. Shane McCoy would not confirm whether it was submitted to the District. The State released the memo with numerous other documents in response to a FOIA request.

Thanks,

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Hi All-

Attached is the appeal filed by the State on January 22. Patty

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